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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7495

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TAGS: CDES, GW (KOLB, HENRY)

SUBJECT: DEATH OF HENRY KOLB

FOR: MRS. GOSSING

8031 E. INDIANOLA AVE.

SCOTTSDALE ARIZONA 85251

1. IT IS WITH PROFOUND REGRET THAT I MUST INFORM YOU OF THE
DEATH OF YOUR FATHER HENRY KOLB.

HIS UNCLE MR. EMMERT INFORMED THE AMERICAN CONSULATE AT
MUNICH, GERMANY ON SEPTEMBER 18, 1976 OF HIS DEATH ON
SEPTEMBER 18, 1976 IN NUERNBERG, GERMANY.

2. YOUR FATHER HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED BY MR. EMMERT.

3. THE AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL WILL TAKE CHARGE OF
HIS PERSONAL EFFECTS AND WILL WRITE TO YOU CONCERNING THEIR
DISPOSITION.

4. REGRETFULLY, I MUST DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE NEED TO
MAKE URGENT ARRANGEMENTS. LOCAL LAW REQUIRES LOCAL
BURIAL OR THAT ARRANGEMENTS BE MADE FOR SHIPMENT WITHIN
THREE DAYS AFTER DEATH. WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW AS SOON
AS POSSIBLE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WISH TO HAVE YOUR
FATHERS REMAINS RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES.

IF SO, PREPARATION AND AIR SHIPMENT OF REMAINS TO
ARIZONA WOULD COST \$1,800.00.
CREMATION AND SHIPMENT REMAINS TO U.S. WOULD COST
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\$800.00. IF LOCAL BURIAL IS DESIRED, THE COST

IS \$800.00. THE COST OF CREMATION AND LOCAL
BURIAL IS \$800.00. ALL OF THESE COSTS ARE APPROXIMATE.

5. WE UNDERSTAND YOUR MOTHER, THE DECEASED'S NEAREST NEXT-
OF-KIN, HAS BEEN HOSPITALIZED. AFTER SHE HAS MADE HER DECISION,
PLEASE TAKE THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS:

A(A) TELEGRAPH INSTRUCTIONS PROMPTLY AND DIRECTLY
TO AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL, MUNICH, GERMANY
AND INCLUDE THE NAME OF THE DECEASED IN YOUR
MESSAGE. STATE WHETHER REQUIRED FUNDS ARE
BEING TELEGRAPHED AND BY WHAT MEANS. INCLUDE NAME
AND ADDRESS OF U.S. FUNERAL HOME YOU SELECT IF
SHIPMENT DESIRED.

(B) TELEGRAPH REQUIRED FUNDS SEPARATELY AND PROMPTLY
THROUGH THE AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY AT MUNICH, GERMANY
PAYABLE TO AMERICAN CONSULAGE GENERAL MUNICH, GERMANY.

(C) IF YOU ARE HAVING THE REMAINS SHIPPED TO THE
U.S., YOU MAY WISH TO HAVE THE U.S. FUNERAL HOME
YOU SELECT MAKE THESE ARRANGEMENTS FOR YOU.

7. UPON RECEIPT OF THE REQUIRED FUNDS YOUR INSTRUCTIONS
WILL BE CARRIED OUT AS PROMPTLY AS CIRCUMSTANCES PERMIT.
WE ESTIMATE APPROXIMATELY FIVE DAYS WILL BE REQUIRED
FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF FUNDS TO CARY OUT YOUR INSTRUCTIONS
IF REMAINS ARE TO BE SHIPPED. UPON COMPLETION OF AL
FORMALITIES, A FOREIGN SERVICE REPORT OF DEATH PREPARED
BY THIS OFFICE WILL BE FORWARDED TO YOU.

7. IF NECESSARY, YOU MAY CONTACT THE CONSULAR SECTION
OF THIS POST BY PHONING 089-23011 IN MUNICH, GERMANY.
BE ASSURED OF MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY IN YOUR BREAVEMENT.
AMCONSUL MUNICH, GERMANY. BETTS

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